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Smoker In Honor Of Constable Holtsbaum

It is with a feeling of the deepest regret that we are losing our popular baum, and a smoker was held on Saturday, when a large crowd of Bill's friends gathered to give him a good send off. After a few songs and choruses were rendered Const. Holtsbaum was presented with a smoking set. Mr. Guthrie, in a neat presentation of all present, and the singing of "Will Ye No Come Back Again" and "Auld Lank Syne" brought the evening to a close.

Constable Holtsbaum has been promoted to the Head Quarters Staff of Alberta Provincial Police at Edmonton. He leaves in a day or two to take up his new duties.

Coffee and tea were served.

Farewell Concert To Mrs. Goodall

A most enjoyable school concert and fair was held at Butze school on Friday November 19th.

There was a good turnout of scholars and their parents, and the hostess Mrs. Goodall ably assisted by Kathleen Wright, Maud Mansell and Sarah Surrette provided a good program of games. After the games the children showed how they could recite and sing. There were some very good choruses and solos and the boys gave a very creditable performance. Just after this Kathleen Wright presented Mrs. Goodall the retiring teacher with a small gift from all the children as a token of esteem and gratitude.

A very nice supper was enjoyed, after which the parents examined the work of the children during the term.

There were maps, plain and colored and drawing and painting, in fact all that children usually do was there and from a layman's point of view, was perfect.

The evening terminated with the singing of "O Canada" and all went home well satisfied, although they were sorry that Mrs. Goodall has left.

Welcome sight, a string of cars at Chauvin.

ABSOLUTELY UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE

OF HORSES, MACHINERY, IMPLEMENTS, HOUSEHOLD GOODS &c. Having received instructions from Mr Josep Mundy, who is leaving the district, I will sell the following by Public Auction, without any Reserve.

SIX GELDINGS; all good workers
HARNESS: 5 sets of single work harness; MACHINERY: 1 18 single disc Van Brunt Drill (new); set four-section Harrows; Mower; Rake; 16in Sully Breaker; Bain Wagon and Box; Grindstone; Quantity of Tools, &c.
HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS;

HERE'S SOME GOOD FEED

900 Bushels of Oats

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West Half of 27-43-1-4th; 320 acres;

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Frame Barn for 8 horses; 1 12x 16

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reserve bid; terms will be announced at the time of sale.

Sale will commence at One o'clock;

at W. 1/2-27-43-1-w4 5 miles N.E. of

Chauvin; 2 miles N. of Butze

Friday December 10

J. Mundy, Prop.

A. E. Foxwell, Auct'n'r

Notes Of Interest

The lot on Main Street next to the Chronicle office has been purchased by C. G. Kregean. A store building will be erected without delay. The lumber for which is now being hauled to the site.

Mr. P. S. Pawesy, of Edgerton, was a business visitor to Chauvin on Monday.

We were glad to see our old friend Harry Lewis renewing acquaintances in Chauvin last week. He is still a bit lame and walks with the aid of a stick, but he has made a most wonderful recovery from a very serious wound.

Mrs. T. H. Smith returned from a visit to her daughter Miss Ethel Smith at Scot last Saturday. Miss Smith accompanied her mother home and is staying until the end of this month visiting old friends before proceeding to Winnipeg.

Mr. P. K. Johnson, of Dina was in town last Friday to meet and welcome two young lady relatives of his who have just come from Norway.

A National costume masquerade dance will be given by the Rebekahs in the Oddfellows Hall Friday, December 3rd. Lunch will be served.

The Ladies' Auxiliary, Westminster Church have decided to serve a hot dinner on December 11th to help in raising funds to meet a payment on the Manse in December. Afternoon teas will also be served.

The ladies would gladly receive any donations of meat, potatoes, pies and Poiryan's store.

The Annual Meeting of the Chauvin Agricultural Society will be held in the I.O.O.F. Hall on Saturday, December 4th at 2 p.m.

Mr. H. Black is spending a few days in Chauvin.

If you have made up your mind not to buy a gramophone, do not listen to the Starr, or Melbaone. You are liable to change your mind. Victor records, the old reliable, in fact the standard all others are trying to follow and copy, are for sale at the Chauvin Pharmacy, which has a good stock on hand.

Ribstone Notes

Several of the married people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Burton on Monday evening, November 15th, for a farewell party to Mr. and T. Smith, who left on Sunday the 21st for their home in Terrace B.C.

Mr. Russell Clifford left on Monday on a trip through B.C.

Mr. D. Morrison is in Ribstone again.

A crowd gathered at the home of Mr. G. Burton, Thursday, the occasion being a farewell party in honor of Miss Sadie Burton who left on Sunday to visit relatives and friends at Terrace, B.C.

We are glad to report that Miss Wilde is out of hospital and visiting friends in Edmonton.

One of the men employed on the new station building had the misfortune to fall and hurt his arm very badly.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Alf Williams Jr. is on the sick list.

SUCCESSFUL BOX SOCIAL

The entertainment and box social held in the Municipal Hall Ribstone, Friday evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society was thoroughly enjoyed by a large crowd.

The sum of \$203.80 was realized from the sale of boxes and lunches.

Mr. J. Crittenden acted as auctioneer.

A hearty vote of thanks is extended to all who contributed towards making the event such a financial success

Remanded For Trial

Ernest Richards, upon information laid by Jas. R. Irvine, was charged with violation of section 206 of the C. C. of Canada. The case was heard, in camera, by A. E. Keith, J.P., Wednesday, Nov. 17th and the accused being committed for trial being arrested and escorted to Fort Saskatchewan.

A meeting was held on Saturday, November 13th, to decide on the distribution of the School Fair prize money. Dr. Follins acted as chairman. It was decided that the amount for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, prize should be 75c, 50c, and 25c, respectively.

The following is a statement of the receipts and expenditures:-

RECEIPTS
Prosperity \$5.00; Edinglassie \$5.00; Chauvin P.S. \$5.00; Chauvin H.S. \$5.00; T. H. Saw \$5.00; C. Laws \$7.50; L. Freeman \$8.00; Anonymous \$5.00; Total \$45.50.

EXPENDITURES
Airlie \$2.00; Edinglassie \$7.25; Prosperity \$2.25; St. Albans \$10.75; Chauvin P.S. \$10.00; Chauvin H.S. \$11.50; Ribbon \$4.30; Printing \$1.50; Lunch \$2.50; Postage and Incidentals \$3.05; Total \$47.50.

D. W. Parsons has returned from his trip to Chicago and Winnipeg.

Re: Car Shortage

STATEMENTS OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM G. N. RENTS BE-
TWEEN
SASKATCHEWAN BOUNDARY.

We, the representatives of the farmers and merchants of towns on tween Edmonton and the Saskatchewan boundary, namely: Artland, Butze, Chauvin, Ribstone, Edgerton, Greenshields, Wainwright, Fabyan, Hawkins, Irma Jarrow, Kinsella, Vik-

ing, Bruce, Holden, Ryley, Tofield Deville, Shontz and Bardo, respectfully submit:-

1. CAR SHORTAGE: That for a period of about sixty days since grain shipments started to move less than 500 cars of grain have been shipped from these points, and that over 5,000 cars are still required to move the crop which is still in the hands of the farmers. At the rate shipments have been made so far, we estimate that it will take about two years to move this crop.

2. GRAIN UNPROTECTED: That owing to shortage of elevator space and the inability of the farmers to ship, large quantities of grain are lying in the open unprotected, and this grain is liable to deteriorate for this reason.

3. LIQUIDATION OF INDEBTEDNESS: That owing to the conditions prevailing and farmers being unable to sell their grain, the liquidation of their indebtedness which has been outstanding, is still further delayed, and that in a great many cases farmers are not able to secure further credits from the banks, which is seriously interfering with the general merchandising business, and is liable to cause failures if this condition continues.

4. GRAIN PRICES DECLINING: That since the opening of the wheat market, the price of wheat has declined from \$2.40 per bushel to the present price of approximately \$1.45 per bushel which means that the farmer who has prepared to ship has suffered a very serious loss, the amount of which is hard to estimate.

5. Crop Failures: That during the past two years there has been practically a crop failure in this division in this division of the railroad, and for this reason it is especially necessary that this year's grain be moved in order that farmers may liquidate their obligations.

We further point out that there is a distinct car shortage in the division largely due to the amount of grain to be shipped in excess of other years, and that in our opinion this can only be overcome by your urging the grain Commission and the Board of Railway Commissioners to have the cars supplied to move this crop.

We would also draw your attention to the fact that the terminal elevators at Saskatoon and Calgary are not being used for the storage of grain..

Respectfully submitted,
Committee.

Edmonton, Alberta,
November 17, 1920.

I am pleased to advise that word has been received by Mr. W. A. Brown, General Superintendent of the Canadian National Railways, at Edmonton, from the Secretary to the Premier that as a result of an interview with Mr. Warren, General Manager of the Canadian National Lines, arrangements have been made to supply and divide between the C.N.R. and the G.T.P. six hundred cars for grain shipments between now and the 1st of December, with an increase in cars during December and after the end of the year.

At the request of Mr. Brown I am forwarding this information to you, and ask that you advise the people in your district of the splendid results obtained as the result of your delegation meeting the Premier in Edmonton.

I think it would be fitting under the circumstances for your Board of Trade, if one is organized in your community, to express your appreciation to the Hon. Arthur Meighen and the Hon. A. G. Calder for their assistance in connection with this matter.

Yours truly,
Secretary.



BUILDING UP OUR PROVINCE

WE have every reason to look to the future with confidence. Saskatchewan possesses land, men and money. But while there are thousands of our citizens with a surplus of funds that is not always working, there are thousands of farmers who have not been able to develop their holdings because of lack of capital.

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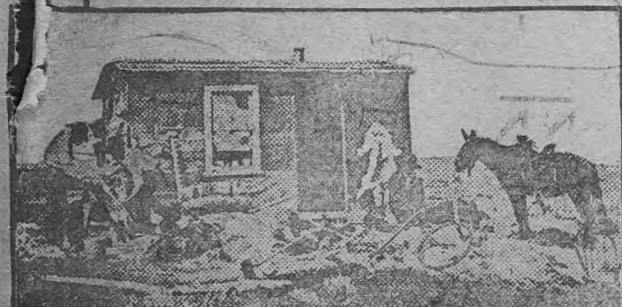
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Our New Copyright Serial Written by a Local Veteran SHORT STORIES OF A SOLDIERS' LIFE AT THE FRONT

OH! YOU BIG BLACK WOOLLY BEAR!

During the trip into the Hell-hole of the western front, Passchendaele, the section was quartered behind some pill-boxes about a mile in front of "Kron Prinz Farm", which at this time was one of our dressing stations though it had been a very strong point at one time, in the Hun lines. Every night Fritz kept up some of the sweetest barrages I have ever seen and of course he got all that was coming to him in reply. He used a light shell a lot, on or near the front line and every night there were shells glancing off this pill-box that we were behind. Believe me it is no nice feeling to think of shells coming right for you and only being diverted by a bit of concrete. And the noise they used to make when they glanced was something never to be forgotten. It was something of a cross between a dying duck in a thunder storm and an angry bear, with a small portion of the whine made by a whining pawn-broker intermingled with it. Oh! my, it was sure an awful sound.

One morning, the Hun over the way started to throw 5.9's about sixty yards behind us, and right close to the track which everyone in that sector had to travel upon. I don't mean a railway track, or a trench tramway, but just an ordinary bath-mat walk.

The Major, third in command, went out with his batman, and they just got to the trench about thirty yards past this spot whenever comes another one. Of course they ducked in the trench and got away allright. They had not got out of sight before we saw a Hun and his batman moving over on the left of our front. When they had got to the bathmats of the shelled point a shell came over and got them both. Elliot jumped up and got a stretcher and we both ran to them followed by two of the other boys. We had just got within about

twenty feet of them when we heard another shell coming. I know by the sound that it was shrapnel and made up my mind that it would clean us all of us off the map. Oh! What an awful row, and then a sudden concussion that knocked me down on my knees, the piece simply passed us—that is the only way to say it—and if one had hit any of us, it would have gone through and then kept on.

We got to the men, the officer was hit through the inside of the leg above the knee and was bleeding like a stuck pig. The batman was hit in the pants and had a gash you could lay a handkerchief of ammunition in. He said "For God's sake get us out of here!" And we certainly did. We went down to the dressing station with him, but the other two took the officer back to the pill-box. We had only got to the trench a few yards, on our way when we heard another shell coming so we stayed in the trench. I called for a stretcher bearer, and he came on the double. He dressed the fellow's wound, and then we proceeded to carry him out. I was on the front end of the stretcher and a long chap at the other end, I sure cursed him, for he was all the time stumbling about. Finally we got the man to the station and then proceeded to look around. Another of the boys had come down with us and we kept looking around the end of the pill-box and simply hating to go back to that hell-hole up in front. Finally when we started, old Fritz threw gas shells around us all the way home. Believe me we were sure glad to arrive at the little grey home in the mud.

THE OLD ARMY GAME

When we were on the way to Passchendaele, there was a general shortage in the potato ration. (I cannot say that the fellows up in the front were using them on "Old Fritz"

but there was a shortage anyway.) Well as we were billeted in barn near Cassel, and as there was plenty of "spuds" around, what should be more likely than we should take some. Oh! no! do not hold up your hands in pious horror for it was not stealing, taking the noble meanly so that we should have more starch in us when above board, and if the farmer didn't see us it was sure his fault. It was ours.

All the taking was done open and we met the "wily one over the way." You see we would sneak out into the moonlight with a dixy and after various manœuvring come in violent contact. (No! I was not in the Air Force.) with a pile of something. We used to figure it out this way. If there was a "bit" in the field and one in the backyard well it looked reasonable to suspect the backyard of holding the potato and the field of holding turnips. (Though it was sometimes turnips we wanted also.) Gee! It was sure a desperate thing to do. Just think what would have happened if the old farmer had seen us there.

We would first have had to stand up to a violent splatter of choice French (getting fainter as we disappeared at the neat speed of a mile in two flat.) Then there would have been a parade for inspection of faces and footmarks, to say nothing of the strain on your inventive abilities to construct a clean story if you happened to be one of the chosen ones. It was sure against our grain to steal from these poor defenceless people (of course they never did any stealing from us, that's just a dream) but what could we do, there we were, 5000 miles from home and no spuds, and bushels lying in out in the fields that we were afraid the Hun would come over and get away with. (I don't think!) It sure is an awful story and one that should be handed down to the generations of Canucks to show them how their forefathers got "time" in the Great War.

A MIDNIGHT BUMP

We were going into the line at Passchendaele and were first to be billeted in St. Jean for a while (as we could lose a few men before going up the line.) As we were marching on the road in St. Jean, over comes a Gothic and attendant fighting planes, with a load of bombs. (This was about 10.30 in the morning.) The in the air and started dropping their bombs about 250 yards from us. Of course it was not wise to hold formation, so we all scattered and lay the standpoint of economy and safety wires on. (It would be maybe 3 ins. in diameter.) This is what is commonly known as wind up.

After staying in this St. Jean place (you will please understand that this was a piece of holy ground. It had been a town at one time but it's career as a town had stopped for a while), for about five days we moved up the line and I found a billet behind a "pill-box" at Belle-lue, which was about three-quarters of a mile in front of Waterloo Farm. Gee! We enjoyed going in, for there were nice deep shell-roles in the roadway, from the farm forward, and they were filled with a nice slimy mud which it was a great treat to fall into. (At least that is what I gathered from the fellows that fell in, you see when they could speak after falling in the mud they would break into a foreign tongue, and by being able to follow their comments I was able to see that they thoroughly enjoyed the fall.

We did more or less while in this position, I know we did less anyway and as Fritz kept getting closer with his 5.9's I figure he was doing more. There were 17 of us up behind this were crouched behind a pill-box all in a row. The second man my left, Elliot, figured on opening a tin of bully at about 11.00 p.m. It was pitch dark and we were all close together like sardines in a tin. I heard him hustling about and then I heard a snap and a muttered "Damn" (the key had twisted off), then came more

hustling and a sawing noise and in a few minutes he said, "Here Bradley" and it reached in the dark and got a piece of bullybeef. I still thing the day of miracles has not gone by, for how he could open that tin in the dark with a blunt Army knife, has got me guessing.

After the bully had disappeared into the nether regions all settled down for a while. One of the boys asked Elliot what the time was, it was ten minutes to twelve. I guess from then I dozed, for the next thing I knew was a "BAMM" and the stretchers over our heads were ripped off and the stars were still shining. I felt as though I had been cut into little strips with a knife and remember thinking for a second, "Is this death?" Then I shook myself and expected to see myself fall to pieces. (I was looking down at my knees when the shell landed.) Suddenly I realized that I was alright, and listening to hear the breathing of the other fellows, I could hear nothing, only one, was groaning. On looking up I saw outlined against the sky an iron bar, sticking out of the concrete, and making one grab for it I hoisted myself out. Then my nerve went "west" and I had a hard fight to keep from running down the road.

In the morning we saw that the shell had dropped on the top of the "pill-box" one yard from the edge. If the concrete had not stopped at the shell would have come right into the midst of us. As it was there was our equipment was all torn to pieces and I found my rifle about 70 yards away, and broken in two pieces, my bayonet was also broken. Never again do I want to be within a yard of a bursting 5.9.

THE LAUGHING DOVE

When the Corps was out of the line in May and June 1918, our battalion marched one day to other billets. And when we got there we were all of course dog tired. We had been, ever since coming out of the line, doing what is called "Storm Troop practice" and it is rather fatiguing on all ranks.

Well we arrived at this little village and as soon as possible sought solace in that King of all trouble breakers, beer. After a good time out in the

town and after testing all the different beer in town (so we would know where to go for the best on the morrow) we retired to our virtuous couches, (which for me, was a blanket and ground sheet for the floor and a leaky barn roof).

In the morning I was laid awake in my blanket, when I heard someone laugh (at least that is what I thought it was) and in a little while longer there was another laugh and then a very funny noise. Well all this laughing caused me to try and picture up just what kind of a girl that was who had made all the pleasant music. (For a laugh is to me very nice music, that is a laugh and not a common Haw! Haw!)

At last reveille blew and after a while, when the breakfast was ready, we got up. I had breakfast and was sitting on a bench just inside the old Frenchwoman's door, cleaning some of the tabs on my equipment. I had noticed this nice bird in a cage but thought it was an ordinary pigeon, so was awfully surprised when this thing in the cage started to laugh. Gee! It was a funny sound. You would think the bird was enjoying one of the greatest jokes that has ever been played on anyone. After a laugh, it would make the funny sound that I had heard early in the morning. We used to stand under the cage for an hour at a time to try to get the bird to laugh, and every time it did so, everyone else just had to join in, for it was so catching to all. I do not think that I have ever seen a bird that I liked better than this laughing dove, and was rather sorry to leave those billets, but that is another story (for there were lots of nice juicy hens to be picked up if one knew "The old Army Game").

(To be continued in our next)

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Editorial Comment

The organized efforts of the business men of Chauvin and the other points along the two lines of the National railroad in Northern Alberta, has been rewarded with an early result in the promise of 600 additional cars for these points before Dec. 1st.

It is a fact that the men from the G.T.P. line had their case in better state for presentation, and by avoiding all theoretical statements of theoretical losses and confining their argument strictly to the facts of the case, were able to convince those higher up—and get results.

The apathy of the rural men towards this movement was noticeable. In fact they took no part in this venture. Had they done so, possibly greater results would have been obtained.

These remedial measures are only of temporary service; they might be termed emergency measures. A cure must be sought in other directions. Of course the first suggestion would be to build more cars, and then more locomotives, then more track, then all over again, more. The next and saner method is to spread the grain

marketing over a longer period in the year.

It is not a sound economic principle for the Western farmers to demand that in the brief period of say the four hardest months in the year the railways should handle the largest bulk of the traffic. Why should we expect that the railways should be so ideally outfitted as to handle both the coal and grain business, both going in the same direction in the late fall and early winter. It is in effect asking that the railways do 60 per cent of their work in 23 per cent of the year; that much capital, equipment and labor must remain idle for the greater part of the year.

If then something must remain idle for a period each year, it necessarily follows that it is more economic to allow the raw materials, wheat and coal, to remain idle rather than the more expensive equipment with its accompanying quota of capital and labor.

The internal elevators are of good service in shortening the haul, but it is necessary to have internal elevator for coal at early date. With

such erected and in use, the transportation of these commodities could be spread over a longer period in the year, with a lesser car-mileage and a proportionately lower cost.

The greatest, though not insurmountable, problem will be that of financing the coal and wheat for the period of storage. The problem of financing the coal we may leave to the coal producers, but that of financing the wheat is our own. It is one which, sooner or later our farmer organizations will have to take up; and they have the ability to solve it. It amounts, in brief to financing the crop for an average period of seven months from the time of threshing—comparatively speaking, an easy matter, though the figures in the aggregate total into millions. Organized manufacturers do all this and much more—Why not the farmers? As a matter of fact, the farmers could do the trick within two years by careful individual preparation taken in unison.

The grain, and for that matter the stock producer, must become like the other producers—he must control his product, within the same sphere as other products are controlled. The agricultural interests need to discontinue looking to the government as a philanthropic and fatherly institution, and shoulder the study of and of the marketing of their

If during the past period of abnormal growth, the agriculturalists have lagged behind it is no reason he should continue to do so any longer. The profits, now made by those who fill the gap, the brokers and the speculators, would more than cover the cost of holding the grain in reserve and marketing it more equally throughout the year.

As long as we make a bull rush for market, caring not about who hauls, who buys, or any other consideration other than "cash on the spot" we may bank on having car shortages, profiteering and poor returns.

Last week we made brief reference to the necessity of preserving law and good order in town. It is refreshing to note that further action has been taken against a most heinous offence. We are but voicing the opinion of the vast majority when we state that it is to be hoped that from now on, the law will be enforced with great vigor.

To say this is by no means inferring that the community as a whole is a law-breaking one. It is in fact, one of the most law-abiding communities in a law-abiding west. But at the same time it is a tolerant one, and as such as allowed a certain degree of laxity, with the result that a certain small minority have ceased to regard law as something to be obeyed. Of these there are some in rural portions of our community, and if any judgment can be made from the reports that are reaching us from time to time, we would emphatically urge that an officer of the provincial police should be stationed at this point. It is also becoming necessary that a better arrangement should be made in the matter of a magisterial appointments, for at the present our two citizens who are performing this very tiresome duty and unenviable task are most miserably recompensed for the work they perform so well.

We, in brief, urge the necessity of stationing a policeman in our midst, because there are a few who have become habitual law-breakers.

Leatholme U. F. W. A.

The Leatholme U.F.W.A. held school on Nov. 12. Ten ladies being present. Mrs. W. Miller presiding. Mrs. Langille—Elsie Ferguson that minutes be adopted as read. Carried. Mrs. Holbrook—Mrs. Langille that membership drive be accepted as canvassers have done their work. Carried. Mrs. C. Miller—E. Ferguson that Mrs. Holbrook be director for Chauvin District Association. Carried. Mrs. Holbrook—Mrs. Ferguson that we send for some books. Carried. Mrs. Holbrook—Mrs. Harris that we buy bread and butter for all lunches to be served. Carried. Mrs. Ferguson—E. Ferguson that we adjourn. Carried.

The monthly joint social evening of the Leatholme U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. will be held on Friday, November 26th. A Shadow dance will be held in the Prosperity School house on December 3rd. Everybody come and have a good time.

Letters To The Editor

To the Editor.
Dear Sir,
We wish to draw the attention of the Municipal Council and your readers that the statement that the road asked for to be opened up to the Rib-

stone school being "for the use of one party only" is incorrect. On the other hand the road is needed for the use of the children of Tom Cole, Mr. Mabe, and Elmer Stevens, George Burton, and James Kinnee to get to school. Further the ratepayers on the west side of the school require this road, their names are on the petition and they still need this road. AMES KINNEE.

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L.E. ROY, Chauvin

The matter of forming a U.F.W.A. for Edinglassie district was also discussed.

"Kantleak" Hot water bottles. The guaranteed bottle. For sale by. The Chauvin Pharmacy

AUDITORS FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND ANNUAL RETURNS OF THE VILLAGE OF CHAUVIN

FOR THE TEN MONTHS ENDING 31st OCTOBER, 1920

DEBENTURE STATEMENT

By-law No.	By-law Date	Debenture No.	Debenture Date	Amount of Issue	Repayment Plan	Term of Years	From	To	Rate of Interest	Redemption Interest	Redemption Principal	Amount of Annual Payment	Redeemed Amount	Amount Unpaid
1	1913	1	10-11-13	1000.00	Eq. An'l Pr. & Int.	10	1914	1923	6	.....	.....	124.00	600.00	400.00
1	1913	2	10-11-13	800.00	Eq. An'l Pr. & Int.	10	1914	1923	6	.....	.....	99.20	480.00	320.00
11	1915	3	31-4-15	1500.00	Eq. An'l Pr. & Int.	10	1916	1925	6	54.00	150.00	204.00	750.00	750.00
12	1917	4	20-5-17	1500.00	Eq. An'l Pr. & Int.	8	1918	1925	6	67.50	187.50	255.00	562.50	937.50

G. W. V. A.

The practice for the concert on 31st Dec. is getting on apace and we are able to look forward and hope for another good concert.

Returned men from all branches are united in one demand for a dollar a day bonus. That is, for every day a man was in the army he is to receive one dollar.

With the proximity of a General Federal Election, the various commands are looking for strong support from the electioneering parties and hope for success.

G W V A AUXILIARY NOTES

The next regular monthly meeting of the G.W.V.A. Auxiliary will be held at the home of Mhs. D. Albertson at 8 p.m. on Saturday November 27th. All members are requested to make an effort to be present.

RECEIPTS

Balance from Previous Year	998.23
Municipal Taxes, Current	688.36
Municipal Taxes, Arrears	472.14
Supplementary Revenue Taxes	38.06
Business Taxes	3.19
Dog Taxes, Licenses & Fines	34.00
Outstanding Cheques	13.05

TOTAL 2247.53

ASSETS

Cash on hand and in Bank	653.32
Uncollected Supplementary	.....
Revenue Taxes	67.97
Other Uncollected Taxes	1401.12
Fire Hall Equipment	846.27
Lands and Other Property	350.00
Fire Hall and Site	900.00

TOTAL 4218.68

DISBURSEMENTS

Grants	185.00
Postage, Printing & Stationery	48.03
Salaries	119.56
Fire Department	129.00
Health Department	65.45
Public Works	546.30
Debenture Payments	459.00
Dept. Mnu. Affairs on Account	.....
Supplementary Revenue Taxes	36.35
Miscellaneous	5.52
Bank Balance	495.97
Cash Balance	157.35

TOTAL 2247.53

LIABILITIES

Uncollected Supplementary	.....
Revenue Taxes	67.97
Due Dept. on account Supp.	.....
Revenue Tax Collections	38.06
Bills Payable	417.55
Debenture Coupons Past Due	223.20
Outstanding Cheques	13.05
Balance Assets over	.....
Liabilities	3458.85
Total Valuation of Assessable	.....

TOTAL 4218.68

STATEMENT OF TAX ROLL AT OCTOBER 31st 1920

Estimated Population	300
Total Current Assessment	7,7743.70
Mill rate, 20 mills	.....
Amount of Arrears, 31st Dec-ember, 1919	1948.95
Penalty Added 1st January, 1920	51.90
Penalty Added 1st July 1920	37.39
Tax Levy for 1920, General Mu-nicipal	1554.86
Supp. Rev. 78.43	1633.29

Total Taxes and Penalties to be Collected 2760.63

Amounts Collected: Mun:	688.86
Arrears	472.14
Supp. Rev. Current and Ar-rears	38.06
Discounts	71.00
Total Cancellations	21.48

Total Corrections, Remissions Corrections and Cancellations 1291.54

Total Uncollected October 31st, 1920 1469.09

FOR SALE: HOUSE AND DOUBLE Lot, 100 ft. frontage. Must sell on account of ill-health. G. W. Woodward, Chauvin.

FOR SALE: ONE REGISTERED Berkshire Boar five months old on 3rd of November. \$25.

One Registered Duroc Jersey Boar from imported sire, five months old 1st November. \$35.00. A. D. Cooper S.W. 11-44-3-4, Edgerton P.O.

FOR SALE: ONE REGISTERED Shorthorn Bull, Color Roan, 6 years old, worth inspection. Apply N. Edleston, Edgerton, P. O. 14-45-3.

LOST: ONE HEREFORD HEIFER, 18 months old, Branded YR on right hip. J. R. Royce, Chauvin.

LOST: BETWEEN ELEVATOR and Johnston's Livery Barn or out of wagon at the barn; One Chinchilla Chamols lined overcoat. Finder kindly return same to Johnston's Livery Barn, Chauvin.

LOST SEVEN STEERS two years old branded 4 0 on left rib, George Murray, Greenglade, Alta.

FOR SALE: THREE-QUARTER SECTION FARM, about 6 miles north of Chauvin—easy terms to suitable person—apply to Wm Rodden, Chauvin 335p

SUPPLEMENTARY REVENUE TAX ACCOUNT

Land	7,7743.70
Current Levy at one mill on the \$	77.74
Added Amts. on Minimum Tax	.69
Arrears of Taxes	27.40
Total Taxes Due	106.03
Amount Collected	38.06
Amount Uncollected	69.35
Total Amount Paid Dept.	36.35
Total Amount Collected but Not Paid Dept.	38.06

I hereby Certify to the Correctness of this Statement.

Dated at Chauvin, this 20th day of November 1920.

T. H. SAUL, Auditor

LOST: BIG WHITE STEER, three years old. Branded E Z right

shoulder. E. Couchesne, Chauvin

ON MY PREMISES: 8 HEAD OF Cattle: 2 60WS with calves, branded

SS

V on right ribs: 1 yearling steer, branded D L on right ribs: White Bull, brand invisible, grey and red. Cow, no brand. Owner can recover by paying expenses. T. St Pierre, Chauvin N.E. 19-43-1.

STRAYED: FROM MY PREMISES sometime in May 1920 two grade Hereford bull calves, about five months old, both wearing muzzles, suitable reward for information leading to recovery. J. R. Beckley, Edgerton, Sec 14-44-3 w 4.

WANTED: ONE GOOD CLEAN ROOM, furnished or unfurnished, with board preferred, apply C. Godin, at Roy's store, Chauvin

WANTED: ELDERLY WOMAN AS housekeeper on farm. Two men to cook for, Wages \$30 per month. E. N. Evans, Edgerton.

STRAYED: ONTO MY PREMISES N 1 2 35-42-1- w4th. One white and dark spotted heifer, no visible brand. Owner can recover by paying expenses. F. T. Davis, Chauvin 340p

Edinglassie U. F. A.

The Edinglassie U.F.A. met on Friday, November 9th., at the home of J. Reinhart Sr.

There was a small attendance present. It was decided to get H. C. Spencer to speak at the annual meeting and to hold date open, for his convenience.

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ULSTER'S "WALL OF STEEL".

Military activity in Ulster during the last few days has led to some speculation and it is suggested that

Western Provinces Demand Resources

The western provinces, disappointed and exasperated by the indifference of the Dominion government in the matter of the control of the natural resources, have decided to start court action, compelling the Dominion government to do justice to the provinces and place the same under the control of the provinces.

It seems that the members of the three prairie provinces have reached the same conclusion without any co-operation. All have decided, however, to wait for a reasonable time to permit the present premier to meet his obligations and carry out or fail to carry out the promises of the government.

The prairie provinces expected some statement by Mr. Meighen during his

a "Wall of Steel" is being formed around the Province. Our pictures show some typical scenes in and

our of the west, but he made only one vague, indecisive and indirect reference, and then seemed to defend the action of the Dominion government in retaining the lands.

The Manitoba Government has practically decided to institute legal action before the supreme court of Canada as the only method left to secure control of the resources. And the Alberta government has also decided to do likewise. In fact the attorney-general has had a case prepared, which will be taken into court, if the Dominion government does not turn over control of the resources to the provinces at a reasonably early time.

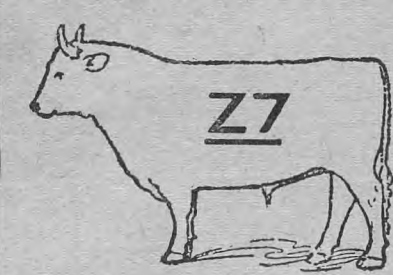
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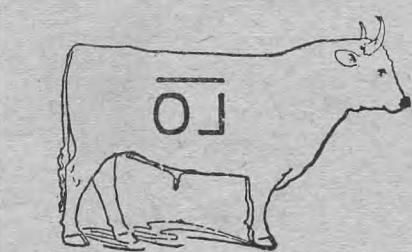


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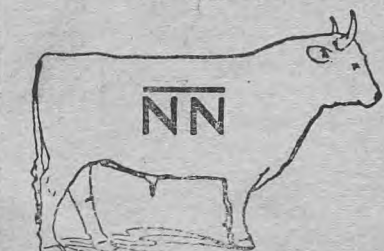
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Photo shows Lewis gun trained on danger point.

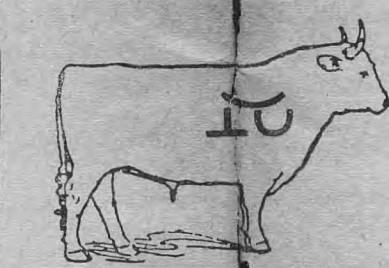
Urge Co-Operative Wheat Selling Pool

The creation of a co-operative pool for the marketing of the whole of the Canadian wheat crop will be one of the principal questions before the annual convention of the United Farmers of Alberta to be held in Edmonton in January next, if the resolutions which are being received by the central office of the U.F.A. various locals of the province form any criterion. In the minds of many of the farmers possibility of the extension of the co-operative principle not only to wheat, but to other crops, and of livestock as well, is apparently being considered.

Several locals have declared themselves in favor of either re-establishing the wheat board or a permanent national board for handling all grains, while others endorse the establishment of a co-operative marketing agency for the disposal of crops. Several locals have also passed in resolutions calling for the creation of a farmers' co-operative bank and ask the convention to take the initiatory steps toward organization of a Canadian Farmers' Co-operative Bank.

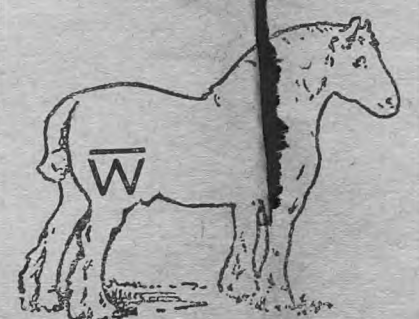
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FRENCH ACE WHO COMPETED IN GREAT AVIATION TOURNAMENT

Captain Rene Fonck, French "Ace of Aces" photographed at Buc, France where he took part in the great aviation tournament recently. It was Fonck's first public appearance as a

flier since the war. President Miller and, who was among the interested spectators, congratulated the daring flier on his performance.

When a man gets the big head he likes to go around bragging that he is broad minded.

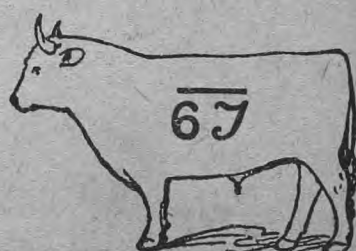
As a woman grows older she grows more romantic. As a man grows old he grows more rheumatic.

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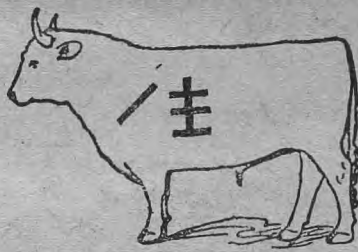
MRS. J. T. VINE, ARTLAND N.E. 14-44-28 w3rd

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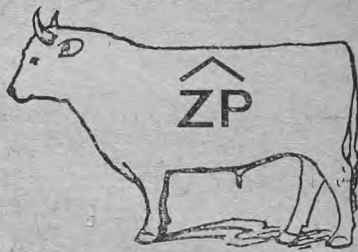
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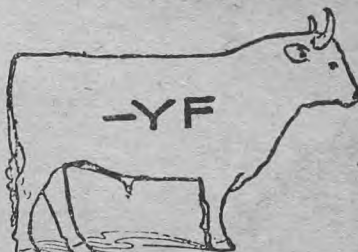
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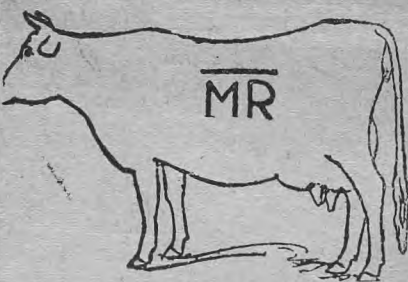
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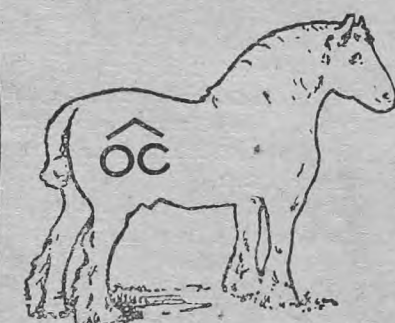
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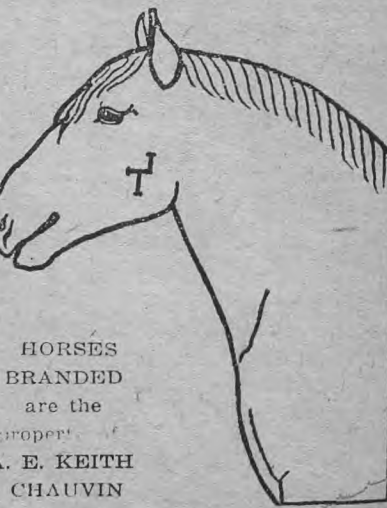


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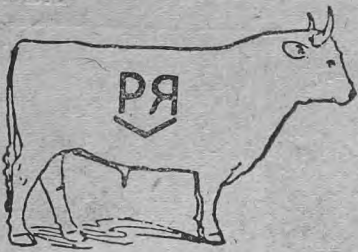


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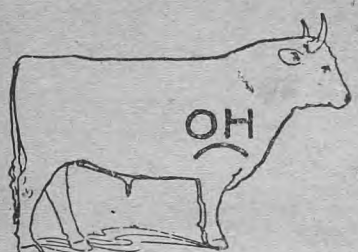
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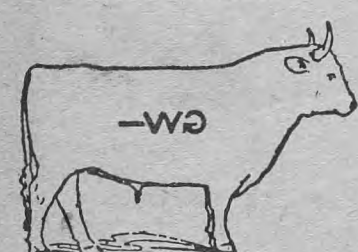
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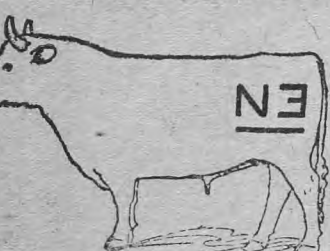
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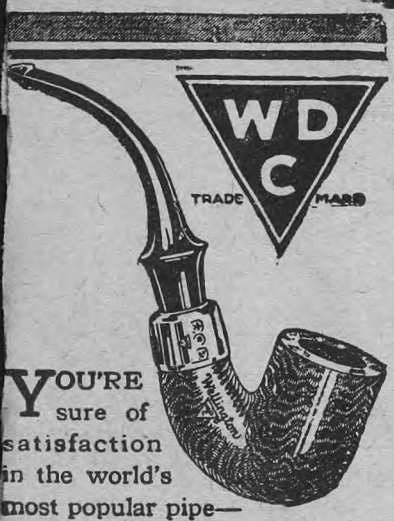


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GENERAL LYAUTEY TO BE
NEW MARSHALL OF FRANCE

Photo shows: General Lyautey who
is the new Marshall of France. This
is a pleasing intimation that one of
the greatest servants of the Republic
has won the well merited reward of a
distinguished career. General Ly-
autey has been awarded the highest
military rank in the first army of
Europe for his services as an organ-
izer of victory over the destructive
forces which had so long desolated
the fairest provinces of North Africa



NEW YORK'S WOMAN JUDGE
NOW IN TORONTO

Judge Jean Norris of New York, who
has been entertained in Toronto this
week by the various women's organ-
izations of the city.



NAVAL HEROES HONORED ON ANNIVERSARY
OF BATTLE OF TRAFALGAR

On October 21st a company of lads
of the Boys' Naval Brigade, under
Captain Matthews and representatives
of the Army and Navy Veterans Ass-
ociation of Canada and of St. George's
Society assembled at the monument.
The Army and Navy Veterans Ass-

at once his normal number of sows
will conditions begin to be steadied.
The importance of a quick recovery
cannot be over-emphasised. The
great harvest of feed grains now
available will largely be disposed of
at a loss if not fed to livestock.
Prices for hogs today compare more
favorably with the price of grains
than for some time and the demand
exceeds the marketings. Canadian
overseas markets demand steady sup-
port if they are not to be lost.

In no line of livestock is the supply
so cut down. It is already certain
that hog prices and consequently bac-
con will remain comparatively high
next year. Whatever is done to
restore supplies must be done quickly.
The breeding season for pigs begins
in the first week in November and
continues only until about the middle
of December. If the opportunity is
allowed to slip the recovery in num-
bers will be so retarded that our pre-
sent cheap feeds will be still more
cheapened, leading to loss.

A shadow dance will be held in the
Prosperity school, Friday Dec. 3rd

Joseph Jorgensen
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measure will be taken properly which is
very essential.

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More Cars Promised

Coming on the heels of so many
complaints from various points
throughout Alberta as to the very
serious situation caused by the
shortage of freight cars for the move-
ment of grain along the Grand Trunk
Pacific and Canadian National lines,
the information received last week
that at least an additional six hun-
dred cars will be available before
December 1st, is gratifying indeed.

Farmers along the lines which are
suffering from lack of grain trans-
portation facilities may now feel as-
sured of at least a normal grain move-

A Case In Point

An exchange appeared recently
with the story of a southern Alberta
farmer who because of the insistence
of his bankers was forced to sell his
1920 crop at a low market price in
order to meet immediate bank obli-
gations. The price at the moment
was not in any sense the legitimate
price, and in being forced to sell the
farmer lost many hundreds of dollars.
He warned the bank that if forced to
sell at the time, he would also be
forced to make an assignment for the
benefit of other creditors. He did it,
and today he is working for wages.

Here is an illustration of a weak-
ness of the Canadian banking system.
The branch manager gets instructions
from headquarters in the east and
beyond certain prescribed limits he is
not empowered to go without refer-
ence to headquarters. The crisis
with the farmer comes quickly. As
a rule there is no time for east or
west correspondence. No matter how
certain the branch manager may be
as to the risk, he is taking chances in
going farther than his orders permit.
As a rule he does not take chances
and the farmer suffers.

Generally speaking our Canadian
banking system is far in advance of
that of the United States. In this
particular respect it frequently falls
down and gives the advocate of the
state and county bank in the repub-
lican argument with which to oppose it.
It is unfortunate that it is so. It
would be better if all Canadian banks
doing business in the west were to
arrange matters so that branch man-
agers in this part of the country could
be given wider latitude within which
to exercise their personal judgment as
to what are and what are not good
accounts without necessity for refer-
ence to eastern headquarters. This
particularly with respect to agricul-
tural credits.

There is many a farmer in Western
Canada who, judged by bank head-
quarters regulations must be regarded
by branch managers of Canadian

Hogs Will Be Scarce

Hogs are going to be scarce! Not
for many years has the trade in
young stock to replenish the supplies
on farms been more active than this
fall. This is attributed to the fact
that farmers have come to understand
that there is "sure money" for the
man who can breed for litters in the
spring.

Yet the awakening has to go fur-
ther. In some sections of the Prairie
Provinces the drop was as much as
60 to 75 per cent compared with two
years ago. In the Eastern and Mar-
itime Provinces also marked reduc-
tions have been recorded. Not until
every farmer understands that it is
best to keep or secure and to breed

FOR QUICK SALE

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trict—2 miles from school—three sides fenced one wire; 12 x 16 shack;
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you have promised yourself so long. See us
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We Stock COLUMBIA GRAFONOLAS in the latest

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We have an attractive proposition to make you on a
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A. C. GIFFORD

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CHAUVIN, ALBERTA.

U.F.A. May Become Governing Power

The U.F.A. winning the next provincial election and forming a government with Hon. Charles Stewart as premier is the impression which a correspondent of the Toronto Star received in a visit through western Canada.

The correspondent works it out that the U.F.A. is bound to win, but as it has no antagonism towards Premier Stewart, and as it has no person with such legislative experience, it believes that it would be a good move all round to make such an arrangement. Here is the story as the Star has it about Alberta.

Premier Stewart is in a much more precarious position than the Saskatchewan government.

Though a practical and successful farmer himself and long a member of the U.F.A., he never took an active part in the movement and has always been a liberal faith. Practically all the rest of his cabinet save Mr. Duncan Marshall are townsmen of the professional and business type, and it includes no one who has any serious influence with the U.F.A. The latter body, under the influence of Mr. H. W.

Wood, is largely infected with the notion of class organization for political action, and such organization is futile unless it is put to some use. It is also led by a man who is the intellectual superior of any member of the Stewart cabinet, and who has in addition very strong personal influence with the average Alberta farmer. For a long time Mr. Wood kept the U.F.A. out of politics but a Non-partisan league, imitating the North Dakota experiment and recruited from farmers who wanted separate political action, put candidates in the field at the last provincial election and carried two seats. It was gaining strength so rapidly that it forced Mr. Wood's hand and he committed the U.F.A. to political action as a body, whereupon the Non-partisan league disappeared.

Mr. Wood likes to do things thoroughly, and when a vacancy occurred in the rural riding of Cochrane previously held by the Liberal speaker, he brought forward a U.F.A. nominee in opposition to the government candidate. There was a bitter contest, in which the government received the support of the Tory press, but the U.F.A. candidate was easily elected. Some of the Stewart cabinet in the course of the campaign both

said and did very foolish things, and contrived to generate an atmosphere of active hostility between themselves and the U.F.A. The result is that the farmers are now in the mood to put up a U.F.A. Candidate at every rural seat at the next election, and as they are well organized there is no visible reason why they should not elect four fifths of them. Premier Stewart and his colleagues therefore have some grave forebodings about their future, and are searching for an avenue of escape from their troubles. and urban population in Alberta which does not enjoy parliamentary representation proportionate to its numbers. The Stewart government accordingly has announced that there will be redistribution accompanied by the introduction of least on a partial scale, of proportional representation. P.R. will give an excuse for equalizing the rural and urban electoral units, but it is hard to see what real salvation it can bring. Calgary and Edmonton. The U.F.A. nominees will divide most of the allotted seats between them, and under it the Liberals cannot hope to elect more than one-third of the rural members with the most favorable circumstances. Therefore unless the omens are deceptive, the farmer and Labor will control the next Alberta legislature. This upheaval might, however, not necessarily mean the departure of Mr. Stewart from office. The quarrel of the farmers is not with him, but certain of his colleagues, and he is personally very popular and is regarded as an honest and progressive politician and a capable administrator.

The new forces might well ask him to remain as premier and to dispense with some of his colleagues, especially Mr. J. R. Boyle, in favor of successors who would be less devoted to partisan scheming and more acceptable to the Farmer and Labor parties.

Christmas In The Homeland

At this time of the year, with the Christmas season drawing nigh at hand, our thoughts are turned to "The Homeland," and the longing to visit the scenes of our youth is strong within us. That fine old Christmas spirit of "Good will toward men" pervades the world and our desire to spend this cherished holiday season with those nearest and dearest to us is felt in every heart. Make your plans now and let us help you by providing the "Way" with the greatest comfort and least possible inconvenience to you.

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HISTORICAL GIFT TO THE BRITISH NATION

General Vicounte de la Panouse, Military Attache of the French Embassy, accompanied by the Colonel Marie of the 61st Regiment 42nd Infantry Division of the French Army, presented a replica of the colors of that regiment to the Imperial War Museum, to be exhibited with the 75 millimetre gun already deposited by the French War Office.

Photo shows: - General Vicounte de la Panouse presenting the flag to the First Commissioner of Work (on behalf of H.M. Government.)

Want Duty On Wheat

American farmers are insistently demanding that an embargo should be placed on imports of wheat from Canada. And it is expected that when congress meets enormous pressure will be brought to bear upon the United States government for the restoration of the import duties done away with by the tariff law of 1913. If such a step were taken, the resulting advance in prices in the U.S. would inevitably produce a strong demand for a corresponding embargo on

wheat exports and the government, of establishing such a barrier to trade, would be practically compelled to use it for the protection of the consumer as well as for that of the producer. The loss of all export trade would hurt the farmer far more than any amount of Canadian competition, for, with exports cut off and an actual surplus of wheat at home, prices would almost certainly drop far below any level they are likely to reach if trade is left unobstructed.

It is, of course, wrong to maintain that the importations of Canadian wheat into the U.S. are solely responsible for the decline in wheat

An exclusive and most recent photograph of King George and Queen Mary, with the Royal Family, made at Buckingham Palace shortly after

prices during the past three months. Prices for all commodities are going down, and it is natural that wheat, which advanced proportionately far more than most essential foodstuffs, should be one of the first to be affected by the change in values. About all that would be accomplished now by an embargo on Canadian wheat would be to place the United States miller in a serious disadvantage, making it also necessary to prohibit the importation of Canadian flour.

The American farmer, evidently, is coming around to the support of the protection principle. He is coming to realize that our Old Country friends have who, while admitting that the free entry of Canadian cattle would be a

the return of the Prince of Wales from his tour. From left to right sitting, H.M. The Queen, H.M. The King, H.R.H. Princess Mory, stand-

ing left to right, H.R.H. The Duke of York, H.R.H. The Prince of Wales, H.R.H. Prince Henry.

good thing for the country in general, cannot support the idea because they have cattle of their own to sell. It has been ever thus since the days of the wise man who noted that it made a lot of difference to a man whether it was his own or somebody else's ox that was being gored.

Speculators Caught

The cost of living is going down and the men who have been largely responsible for keeping it up are in many cases going down and out.

Curb brokers and speculators have been responsible for boosting prices and now that the banks have tightened up on them and the general tendency of the market has caught them, many are losing all their big profits they made earlier in the game.

Speculators and market manipulators have been at the root of the trouble these several years past. Immense quantities of merchandise had been cornered, the prices had been driven up, and retail dealers and the general public have been forced to pay exorbitant prices, thus keeping

up the cost of living.

Now, however the bottom is dropping out, and hundreds of the speculators are being caught, with the inevitable result that there will be many failures throughout the country.

Things are really just beginning to go back to somewhere near the pre-war level. Prices and wages will undoubtedly adjust themselves in time.

A full return to the prices of pre-war days cannot be expected, however. Wages will never go back to their old level and no one wants them to. It is to be expected that in some lines there will be no re-adjustment, while in others there will be substantial reductions along with declines in living costs. As a result, further declines in many lines are now on the way.

If some men excelled at other things like they do at throwing the bull, they'd be millionaires.

The recent campaign proved that many men are at their best when they are talking on the wrong side of a question.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF RIBSTONE, NO. 421

Tax Recovery Act TAX SALE

SALE OF LANDS IN THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF RIBSTONE NO. 421 FOR ARREARS OF TAXES.

Notice is hereby given that certain lands in the MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF RIBSTONE NO. 421 will be offered for sale for arrears of taxes and costs, at the Hamlet of Ribstone on Tuesday the 16th day of November, A.D. 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, in the Municipal Hall.

A printed list of the said lands may be obtained from the Secretary at the Municipal Office at Chauvin at any time after the 14th August on application therefor.

Dated at Chauvin Alberta, this 8th day of August A.D. 1920

T. H. SAUL, Sec.-Treas.

Arrears and costs may be paid at any time before time of sale.

VILLAGE OF CHAUVIN

Sale Of Lands

IN THE VILLAGE OF CHAUVIN For Arrears Of Taxes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that certain lands in the Village of Chauvin will be offered for sale for arrears of taxes and costs at two o'clock p.m. Saturday November 27 A.D. 1920, at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer.

The list was published in the Chauvin Chronicle issued August 4th 1920. The list of of lands included all arrears of taxes up to December 31st 1919 with penalties up to July 1st 1920.

The Village will accept payment of arrears of taxes with costs up to the time of sale.

Dated at Chauvin, this 20th day of July 1920

H. N. FREEMAN, Sec.-Treas.

TAX SALE

Sale of Lands

in the Municipal District of Merton, No. 451

NOTICE is hereby given that certain lands in the Municipal District of Merton No. 451 will be offered for sale for Arrears of Taxes and Costs, at Winona School House on Saturday the 27th day of November at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; unless the Arrears of Taxes and Costs be sooner paid. A printed List of the lands may be obtained on application to the Secretary-Treasurer of the District.

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